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SUBJ: WCIWY: RESOLUTION ON ACCESS OF WOMEN TO FINANCIAL CREDITS

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF RESOLUTION SPONSORED BY GHANA AND JAMAICA RECOMMENDING THREE STEPS GOVERNMENTS SHOULD TAKE TO IMPROVE MECHANISMS FOR MAKING FINANCIAL CREDITS AVAILABLE TO POORER RURAL AND URBAN WOMEN. REQUEST GUIDANCE ASAP SINCE RESOLUTION MAY BE VOTED ON IN COMMITTEE 2 AS EARLY AS FRIDAY.

2. BEGIN TEXT: RECOGNIZING THE DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED BY WOMEN WORLDWIDE IN SECURING CREDIT AND LOANS FOR ACTIVITIES WHICH ENHANCE THEIR PRODUCTIVE CAPACITIES, AND THUS, THE CONTRIBUTION OF THEIR FULL SHARE TO THEIR FAMILIES' AND COMMUNITIES DEVELOPMENT AND THEIR CONSEQUENT FULL INTEGRATION INTO DEVELOPMENT: AND

3. NOTING THE SPECIAL NEED FOR WOMEN IN POORER RURAL AND URBAN AREAS FOR THE SMALL, LOW-INTEREST LOANS WHICH ENABLE THEM TO BOTH ESTABLISH CREDIT AND ENABLE THEM TO ATTAIN A FIRM AND VIABLE ECONOMIC BASE; AND

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4. RECALLING RESOLUTIONS 3010 (XXVII) OF 18 DECEMBER, 1972 AND 3275 (XXIX) OF 10 DECEMBER 1974, IN WHICH THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PROCLAIMED THAT INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S YEAR 1975 SHOULD BE DEVOTED TO INTENSIFIED EFFORTS TO ENSURE THE FULL INTEGRATION OF WOMEN IN THE TOTAL DEVELOPMENT EFFORT.

5. RECOMMENDS THAT GOVERNMENTS, A) ESTABLISH MECHANISMS TO FACILITATE THE EXTENSION OF CREDIT TO MEET THE SPECIAL NEEDS OF POORER RURAL AND URBAN WOMEN; B) FACILITATE ALSO THE ACCESS OF POORER WOMEN TO EXISTING FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS; AND C) ENCOURAGE AND COMMEND THE INITIATIVES TAKEN AND BEING TAKEN BY NONGOVERNMENTAL AND VOLUNTARY WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS TO ESTABLISH THEIR OWN FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND BANKS.

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